

**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR & TRAINING
DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
MECHANICAL BOARD
WEDNESDAY, July 7, 2010
9:00 A.M.**

In attendance: Stanley Davies

Robert Eva

Tim Byrne

Raymond Freitas

Bobby Joe Harris

Quinlan T. Regan

Steven Gray

Ted Whittaker, Sr. Chief

Mary Ellen McQueeney-Lally, Legal Counsel

Meeting was called to order at 9:14 am by Stanley Davies

A motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting was made by Tim Byrne and seconded by Bobby Joe Harris. Passed unanimously by the board.

Hearings:

1) Scott Derosiers, Bay State Regional Contractors-Tim Byrne read

the violation: On December 17, 2009, DLT Investigators, Robert Gaj and Patrick Luther conducted an investigation at the RIPTA Maintenance Facility, 705 Elmwood Avenue, Providence, RI. Inspector Luther witnessed Wayne A. Taylor of 79 Miles Road, Windsor CT 06095 and James P. Farrell of 103 Tunixis Ave., Bloomfield CT 06002 installing grease hose reels. Neither individual was licensed in Rhode Island as a pipefitter. It was later determined that Scott Desrosiers of Bay State Regional Contractors entered into a contract with H. V. Collins to install a grease distribution system at that location. Mr. Desrosiers is not a pipefitter master 1 license holder. Mr. Desrosiers holds a limited gas station installers license. After further investigation it was determined that Bay State Regional Contractors subcontracted the contract for work at the RIPTA Maintenance Repair Facility to Automation Inc., 707 Oakwood Avenue, West Hartford CT 06110, for installation of the grease distribution system, Automation Inc. is not licensed in RI.. Pursuant to RIGL 28-27-21(4) and (6), Bay State Regional Contractors willfully and fraudulently loaned its license to Automation Inc. for the purpose of permitting that contractor to engage in work and contracted to perform work for which it did not have the proper license in violation of the mechanical laws of Rhode Island. Your case is now on the agenda of the Mechanical Board for revocation of your mechanical trade licenses. Mr. Desrosiers is not present at today's meeting and has not been present at the previous three meetings for which he was notified by regular and certified mail.

Tim Byrne made a motion to recommend to the Director that Mr.

Derosier's limited gas station installer's license be suspended for 1 year, seconded by Bobby Joe Harris. Passed unanimously by the board.

End of hearing.

Adam Hitchen came before the board to be approved for the Sheetmetal Master I exam. Mr. Hitchen has received a Master Sheetmetal license in Massachusetts since he sent his application in on April 12, 2010. Mr. Whittaker said that he is eligible for the exam and approved his application.

Peter Bibby addressed the board in regard to having his license reinstated, since it was revoked back in 2007. The board questioned Mr. Bibby. Tim Byrne made a motion to table this matter until all information is given to the board and they have a chance to review it and to request that Charlie Wright be present at that meeting, seconded by Terry Regan. Passed unanimously by the board.

Matthew Regan addressed board in regards to taking the exam for Sheetmetal Master 1. Tim Byrne made a motion to allow Mr. Regan to take the exam, seconded by Bobby Joe Harris. Passed unanimously by the board.

A motion to adjourn was made by Tim Byrne and seconded by Stephen Gray. Passed unanimously by the board.

The meeting adjourned at 10:00 am.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, August 4, 2010 at 9:00 am.